

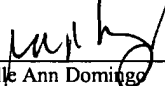


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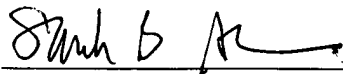
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This Communication is being submitted in response to the Office Action dated October 19, 2005 issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the Office Action was due January 19, 2006. An extension of time is hereby requested and a check for \$120.00 to cover the one-month extension is enclosed. A response including a one-month extension of time was due February 19, 2006. However, since February 19 fell on a Sunday, and Monday, February 20, 2006 was a Federal Holiday, a response filed the next business day, namely, Tuesday, February 21, 2006 is considered timely. Accordingly, this Communication is being timely filed.

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